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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$450** for a Small Entity

- **\$385** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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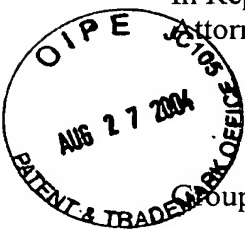
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Applicant : **Gianni PASQUALINI**  
Filed : April 13, 2004  
Title : **BLOOD TREATMENT MACHINE  
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**SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application" mailed June 25, 2004, attached hereto are the following documents for filing in the above-identified United States Patent Application:

1. a Patent Application Transmittal Letter in triplicate for purposes of calculating the filing fee;
2. Letter Indicating Practitioners for Power of Attorney;

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 25, 2004.

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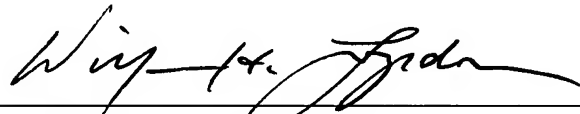
3. the required Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
5. the required copy of the above mentioned "Notice" to be returned with the response; and
6. our check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the filing fee and surcharge fee for late Declaration.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. One (1) original and two (2) copies of this Submission are enclosed.

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